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Marketing and Regulatory Programs

Agricultural Marketing Service

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ANNOUNCEMENT FV-309 DRY EDIBLE BEANS

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The purpose of this amendment is to incorporate the Seals on Transportation Conveyance requirements under Section VIII. Shipment Delivery-Transfer of Title, FV309 Announcement, as follows:

E. Seals on Transportation Conveyances

Suppliers of commodities, products and/or services shall be responsible for placing a seal(s) on all doors, hatches, vents, or other points of entry of each transportation conveyance upon completion of loading or servicing. The Contractor must ensure that the seal identification number is on each bill of lading, shipment manifest, certificate, or other delivery documents for each delivery destination, provide a sufficient number of seals, and ensure that the carrier service secures the conveyance after each delivery destination. Seal shall be serially numbered, barrier-type and meet the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) Standard F 1157-04.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

Sincerely,

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